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PIECES OF MATERIAL

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Sir:

In response to the enclosed "Notice to File Missing Parts", dated January 29, 2002, submitted herewith is the duly executed DECLARATION and POWER OF ATTORNEY, along with a check in the amount of \$65.00, to cover the surcharge for the late filing of the Declaration (Small Entity).

Applicants herewith claim the benefit of priority of their earlier-filed application under the International Convention in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 119. Submitted herewith is a certified copy of the German application having the Serial No. 100 62 828.1, bearing the filing date of December 17, 2000.

It is hereby requested that receipt of the priority document be acknowledged by the Patent Office.

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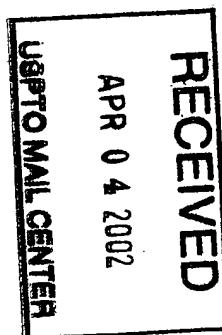
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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